

TOM OSBORNE: Well, I'd just like to thank you. I think one of the hallmarks of the football program, probably Nebraska athletics, has been unanimity throughout the state, great support from the Legislature to the administration all the way down to the players and the fans. We have our new chancellor here today and I'm...first time I've met him so I...I'm...these are nice circumstances for Terry and I to meet the new chancellor and we hope he thinks well of us. But this has been a trying year for football in some ways and yet a very gratifying year, and Terry's had a little smoother sailing in his sport but has done a tremendous job and I think Terry ought to say a word or two to you also because his accomplishments over a period of 15 years have been truly remarkable. I think he's won 12, 13, 14 straight Big 8 championships and we've never been able to do that in football. But, anyway, thank you for this nice honor and thank you for having the chancellor and Terry and I down here. We appreciate it very much.

TERRY PETTIT: If we had known that the football team was going to beat Florida as badly as they did, we would have worked a little harder against Texas, but a football team is a tough act to follow. I'm just thankful that I'm in a state and a university that provides opportunity for women to learn and compete in the competitive arena and that's the real winner in this situation and I want to thank you for your efforts on that behalf. Thank you.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Once again on behalf of the Legislature, congratulations to both of you for an outstanding year and thank you very much for coming over and sharing this moment with us. With that, Senator Brown, would you like to make a motion for adjournment?

SENATOR BROWN: Mr. Speaker, I move to recess until one-thirty this afternoon. SPEAKER WITHEM: Actually, the preference would be an adjournment motion.

SENATOR BROWN: Sorry. I move to adjourn until nine o'clock...

SPEAKER WITHEM: Tomorrow morning.

SENATOR BROWN: ..tomorrow morning.